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## **AMENDMENTS TO CLAIMS:**

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

- 1. (currently amended) An adhesive composition comprising:
  - (a) 10% to 90% fluid medium, by weight based on the weight of said adhesive composition, and
  - (b) 10% to 90% at least one acrylic polymer composition, by solid weight based on the weight of said adhesive composition, wherein said acrylic polymer composition comprises as polymerized units:
    - (i) at least one monomer with carboxyl functionality, and
    - (ii) at least one carboxyl-reactive monomer, wherein each said carboxylreactive monomer in said acrylic polymer composition is selected from the
      group consisting of glycidyl acrylate, glycidyl methacrylate, and mixtures
      thereof;

wherein said fluid medium is 50% or more water, by weight based on the weight of said fluid medium;

wherein said adhesive composition does not contain crosslinker; and wherein each polymerized unit of said acrylic polymer composition is a monomer of molecular weight less than 800.

- 2. (original) The composition of claim 1, wherein said monomer with carboxylic functionality comprises acrylic acid, methacrylic acid, or a mixture thereof.
- 3. 5. (cancelled)
- 6. (previously presented) The composition of claim 1, wherein said acrylic polymer composition comprises at least one latex polymer.